GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

YAT & C (PMU) Department - Tourism Promotion - Ecotourism Society of India - Patron Membership for 8 years - Sanction of Rs.3,00,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs Only) - Orders - Issued.

YOUTH ADVANCEMENT TOURISM AND CULTURE (PMU) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 797 <u>Dated: 10-10-2013</u> Read:-

From the Honorary President, Ecotourism Society of India, National Body for Responsible Tourism, New Delhi, Lr., Dated: 02-09-2013.

ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Honorary President, Ecotourism Society of India, National Body for Responsible Tourism, New Delhi has informed that ESOI is a non-profitable organization established in 2008 under the Societies Act, 1860 with the encouragement of Ministry of Tourism, Government of Andhra Pradesh. He has further informed that to sensitize the various stakeholders on need for establishing environmentally responsible tourism practices ESOI has been conducting series of 2 days workshops with the theme 'Practicing Responsible Tourism' across the country for the past four years with the patronage & financial support from member State Governments, with WWF India as knowledge partner. Now he has invited Tourism Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh to be a Grand Patron Member of ESOI with one time fee of Rs.5,00,000/- valid for 10 years.

- 2. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby sanction an amount of Rs.3,00,000/- to the Honorary President, Ecotourism Society of India, National Body for Responsible Tourism, New Delhi towards membership as Patron member in Ecotourism Society of India with a one time fee for 8 years.
- 3. The amount sanctioned at para 2 above shall be debited to the following head of account:

"3452-Tourism, 01-Tourist Infrastructure, 102-Tourist Accommodation & Other facilities to Tourists - Schemes included in PLAN, 11- Normal State Plan, SH (20) - PMU - Promotion of Tourism / Events, 500 - Other Charges, 503 - Other Expenditure".

4. The Assistant Secretary to Government and Drawing & Disbursing Officer, YAT & C (PMU) Department shall draw the amount sanctioned at para-2 above and disburse the same M/s. Ecotourism Society of India, National Body for Responsible Tourism, New Delhi through bank. The following are bank account details:

Bank Name	:	United Bank of India
Branch	:	Delhi Oberoi Hotel
Bank A/c. No.	:	02770 5000 5944
IFSC Code	:	UTBIINBBAICH

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHANDANA KHAN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

Τo

The Honorary President, Ecotourism Society of India, New Delhi.

The Assistant Secretary to Government and Drawing & Disbursing Officer,

YAT & C (PMU) Department.

The Deputy Pay & Accounts Officer, Secretariat Branch, Hyderabad.

The YAT & C (PMU-Claims) Department.

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SECTION OFFICER